Was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Dorsey, Neff, and Waters.

A bill entitled, an act to change the name of "Wesleyan Chapel" of the Methodist Protestant Church, in Kent county, to Wesley Chapel;

Was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Griffith, Stewart and Rowles.

A bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the Register of Wills for Worcester county; in basics of the Register of Wills

Was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Timmons, Parker, and Smith, of Worcester.

A bill entitled, an act to incorporate the St. Martin's Inlet and Navigation Company;

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Also returned

A bill entitled, an act to enable Wm. Crane and others, trustees of the Saratoga Street African Baptist Church, in Baltimore city, to execute a deed of certain property therein mentioned;

A bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Central and South American Trading Company;

A bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Chiriqui Real Estate Company;

A bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to incorporate the town of Westminster, in Carroll county, by the name of the city of Westminster, passed at December session 1849, chapter 299;

A bill entitled, an act amendatory of an act passed January session 1854, chapter 249, entitled, an act for the relief of the sureties on the bonds of John W. Baker, former collector of Montgomery county;

A bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Carroll's Island Company, of Baltimore county;

A bill entitled, an act for the better protection of stock from Railroads or from Roads leading to and from the same;

A bill entitled, an act to amend an act passed at January session 1854, chapter 409, entitled, an act requiring new bonds to be given by the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in Baltimore city, by the clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore city, and by the Register of Wills of Baltimore city;